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**RESPONSE**

In response to the action mailed September 13, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims

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**Please amend claims 1-4, 17 and 18:**

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-- 1. (Amended) A self-light emitting device comprising:  
an EL element comprising a first electrode, a light emitting layer over the first electrode, and a second electrode over the light emitting layer;  
a film comprising an inorganic material covering said EL element; and  
a film comprising an organic material covering said film comprising an inorganic material.

2. (Amended) A self-light emitting device comprising:  
an EL element comprising a first electrode, a light emitting layer over the first electrode, and a second electrode over the light emitting layer;  
a film comprising an inorganic material in contact with said EL element; and  
a film comprising an organic material in contact with said film comprising an inorganic material.

3. (Amended) A self-light emitting device comprising:  
an EL element comprising a first electrode, a light emitting layer over the first electrode, and a second electrode over the light emitting layer;